

DISPATCH

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FROM	Chief of Station, Vienna	DATE	AUG 5 1961
SUBJECT	GROOVY Willi HÖRTL Arrest	RE: "43-3" - (CHECK "X" ONE)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MARKED FOR INDEXING
ACTION REQUESTED	Please bring Vienna Station up to date on this matter.	X <input type="checkbox"/> NO INDEX	INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED BY QUALIFIED HQ. DESK ONLY
REFERENCE(S)	EAVA 14452, 27 July 1960		

1. We have read reference with interest and request that COS/Munich forward to us a copy of any earlier UPHILL comments on the alleged arrest of Willi HÖRTL and Kurt PECHNER in Linz. To date we have not had an opportunity to make inquiries since the officers concerned are out of town on vacation. As you know, we are in close contact with both of the men concerned and up until 1 August neither of them had even mentioned the name of Willi HÖRTL. First reaction to the story described in reference is that it is fantastic.
2. However, we are prepared to investigate it further but would prefer to have the full story from the beginning from COS/Munich.

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